



WHAT'S ON GUIDE

HATHERN'S BIG WEEK 2022



SUPPORTED BY HATHERN PARISH COUNCIL

Hathern WI present

THE GREAT HATHERN BAKE OFF

JUDGED ON SUNDAY 5TH JUNE

5 ENTRY CATEGORIES

CHILDREN

Biscuits/Cupcakes (7 & Unders) | Biscuits/Cupcakes (8 & Over)

ADULT

Victoria Sandwich | Vegetable Cake | Cupcakes

FULL ENTRY DETAILS CAN BE FOUND AT
www.hathernonline.co.uk/bakeoff



It's been a long 3 years, but I cannot tell you the joy of being able to introduce a full fat Big Week back to the village of Hathern!

And what a brilliant coincidence that the Queen extends our Bank Holiday at exactly the same time, to give us the biggest and best Big Week we've ever had. Not only do we have the long standing favourites - It's a Knockout, Proms in the Park and the Big Quiz all return - but we also see new events in the form of the Jubilee Party and a fantastic display by the History Society held at Hathern School.

This will be the first time since 2019 that Hathern Together has regrouped to put on a full calendar, and we're so happy that so many Community Groups have come together to resume "business and usual". Hathern is such a lucky village, with so many groups willing to get stuck in over the week. Make sure you say hello to Hathern Library on the Thursday, and the WI serving some exquisite afternoon teas on the Friday.

As always, a big thank you needs to go to Hathern Village Association for providing the infrastructure on Hathern Park - be sure to try their new Fox & Crown, a blond ale from Charnwood Brewery. Their bar will be open every day. An even bigger thank you needs to go to Hathern Parish Council. Their continued support to the Hathern Together initiative means that nearly every single event you attend has free entry, enabling as many people as possible to enjoy what Hathern does best - community spirit. They also allow us free use of the Park to carry out this event. Likewise, say hello to Hathern Cricket Club who kindly accommodate us throughout the week.

All of the events are also on our website - www.hathernonline.co.uk - make sure you RSVP to the quiz where myself and The Dew Drop's Jake Grossner will be bringing you a very special test of your knowledge!

Roy Dann

HATHERN PARISH COUNCIL

Martin Clayton

HATHERN TOGETHER



PICNIC IN THE PARK

SUNDAY 5TH JUNE 12:00 - 16:00

free entry | bring your own picnic | bar open | games & entertainment

HATHERN PARK

CELEBRATING THE JUBILEE IN HATHERN



30 MAY - 5 JUNE 2022

HATHERN COMMUNITY LIBRARY 70 STORY CHALLENGE

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Running all week | free
Hathern Community Library, Green Hill

30-5

To mark the Queen's platinum Jubilee we've set ourselves a challenge - to read aloud at least 70 stories throughout the week, and we'd love everyone in the village to join in!

Even if you're not a library member yet, every story you read will count towards the total

Just let us know which stories you've read, and we'll record them all on our special chart.

The Challenge will launch on Monday 30th May, so get down to the library now, and find yourself some great stories to read - we can help you find the right ones.

Adults, remember...

"You're never too old, too wacky, too wild

**To pick up a book
And read to a child"**

Dr. Seuss





OPEN REHEARSAL

Monday 30th May, 18:00 | free
The Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

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The ethos of Hathern Band is that of a community brass band which produces its own musicians. Youngsters are taught not only to play an instrument, but also music theory in a relaxed and fun environment. They move through the learning groups and the Musical Director monitors their development to ensure they receive the challenges and encouragement to become better players.

There is no charge for tuition or instruments.

Come along and see our youngsters in action at our open practice. We start at 6.00pm and each of the groups will be in action. There's an open invitation to any youngster to "have a go and blow". Some of those you will see this evening started their musical journey in just this way at a Big Week open practice.



DMRC STANFORD HALL: TALK

Tuesday 31st May, 19:30 | free
The Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

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The new Defence Medical Rehabilitation Centre, known as 'DMRC Stanford Hall', started treating patients in October 2018, with the transition of staff from Headley Court in Surrey. Richard will tell us of the plans and patients involved in this state-of-the-art £300m medical facility which treats members of the Armed Forces who have been wounded, injured or become sick as part of their

military service.

Eventually the facilities will be opened up to civilians too. Richard will be happy to answer questions at the end of his presentation.

This event is being run by Hathern WI, and is open to all, and will end with the obligatory tea & cake.



COFFEE MORNING

Wednesday 1st June, 10:00 - 12:00 | small charge for refreshments
St Peter & St Paul Church, Church Street

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Do you love a cuppa and a slice of cake? What about a natter? Then why not go along to St Peter & St Paul Church for their coffee morning?

if you've been loads of times before, pop along and see what it's all about.

We look forward to seeing you.

The church run regular coffee mornings every Wednesday morning throughout the year and are using Big Week as an excuse to encourage some new-comers along.

So if you've never been before, or even



PRAISE IN THE PARK

Wednesday 1st June, 19:30 | free
The Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

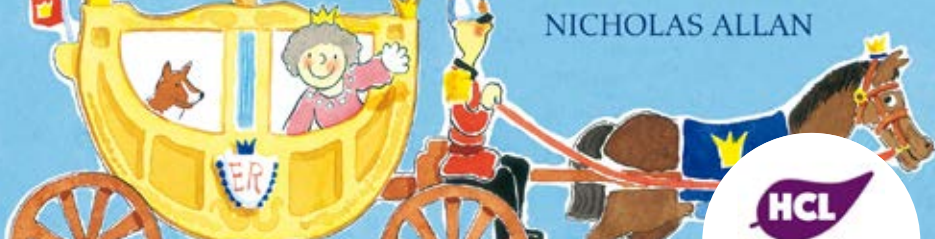
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Running for several years now, Praise In Tha Park has become one of Big Week's busiest events.

Hathern Church does every month, so why not join for an hour of 'Songs of Praise' - lively music in praise of God?

Hathern Church's Praise Group will be bringing lots of lively hymns and songs, some you will know and some you won't, but all very singable - including a short talk and refreshments afterwards.

The evening provides a taster of what



LIBRARY HITS THE PARK

Thursday 2nd June, 10:30 - 15:00 | free
The Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

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Hathern Community Library are moving into the marquee for one day only with some extra-special family activities. Bring a picnic and stay all day...!

10.30 – 11.15: Starting the day with their ever-popular All Join In! session - rhymes, songs and movement for younger children and their grown-ups.

11.30 – 12.30: Seriously Silly Stories. Come and take part, to help bring the

stories to life.

14.00: The Queen's Knickers: If you remember We're Going on a Bear Hunt a couple of years ago, you'll love this! A right royal story with plenty of things to make and do.

The Story Corner will also be open all day, so you can come and ask for a story whenever you like. Remember the 70 Stories Challenge...



OPEN WILDLIFE GARDEN

Thursday 2nd June, 11:00 - 15:00 | free
Allotments, Shepshed Road

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Hathern Wildlife Group has carried out many projects including tree, hedge and bulb planting. Wildflower meadow areas have been created in the park, cemetery and churchyard providing a reminder of the hay meadows of old.

Last year, the parish council provided some land within the Shepshed Road allotments to be developed as a managed wildlife area. The group

has created a range of habitats there including a pond and has used recycled material wherever possible.

Come along and see what we have been up to! Children are welcome (under parental supervision) and you can help us build a bug hotel. It's a 10-minute walk from the village and there is a small carpark inside the allotments gate.



THE BIG QUIZ

Thursday 2nd June, 19:00 | £2 per person
The Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

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It's the return of the BIG QUIZ and at this event we'll be crowning the winner of a certain village competition!

If you haven't noticed, Hathern Club and The Dewdrop have been having a 'Quiz-off!' Each fortnight the quiz rotates between the two venues and teams decide where to place their points!

Come down to Hathern Park for the grand final. Enter your team and decide whether you are playing for TEAM CLUB

or TEAM DEWDROP!

There are prizes for the winning teams plus a trophy for the winning venue!

The quiz gets very busy so booking a table is recommended - do this via hathernonline.co.uk

Max of 8 per team.



EXHIBITION OF PHOTOGRAPHS

Friday 3rd & Saturday 4th June, 10:00 - 16:00 | free
Hathern Primary School, Pasture Lane

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Hathern Local History Society presents an exhibition of photographs at Pasture Lane School.

The exhibition will be looking back to the 1950s, particularly the Coronation, as well as other more recent celebrations in Hathern.

There will also be maps and other information showing how the village has

developed over the interim years.



HISTORY WALK

Friday 3rd June, 10:30 | free
Starting at Hathern Cross, Cross Street

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Get an insight into some of Hathern's oldest and most interesting buildings on this approximately two-hour History Walk.

The walk will appeal to anyone living in the village, and particularly to newcomers who may not be aware of Hathern's rich history.

Led by members of the History Society

who have lived in the village all of their lives, they will tell of the history of the buildings and some of their own experiences relating to them: including some amusing anecdotes.

The walk is free to join and will depart from Hathern Cross at 10:30 prompt.



IT'S A KNOCKOUT

Friday 3rd June, 13:00 | free to spectate, £12 per team entry fee
Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

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Teams of 6 compete in the ultimate of silly challenges - and to mark ten years of It's A Knockout, we'll be bringing back some of your favourite games from over the years!

It's not just the knockout games though, Hathern **Village Voices** will be providing a mini-concert between 2-3pm, **Hathern Church** will be providing teas, coffees &

refreshments and the **HVA bar** will be open all day. Come along and enjoy the Bank Holiday.

Teams can enter by emailing:

theguide@hathernonline.co.uk for an information pack.

You must be 16+ to compete in the games.



IT'S A KNOCKOUT: YOUTH CLUB TAKEOVER

Friday 3rd June, 16:00 | free
Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

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Parents all over the village have been crying out for the children to be able to enter 'It's A Knockout'... well now they can thanks to Hathern Youth Club.

They'll be taking over the arena once the main games have finished to allow the kids to compete.

Participants do need to be a member of the Youth Club to compete, so make

sure you visit Youth Club between now and the event to sign-up!



COMEDY NIGHT

Friday 3rd June, 20:00 | free
The Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

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After a successful trial night in 2021, Comedy Night in the marquee is back.

Organised by Hathern Club, host Tony Coward will be bringing a selection of comedians for a night of funnies!

HVA will have the bar open all evening too so come along for a fantastic night out and best of all.... it's free!



HATHERN 2ND VS CROPSTON 3RD

Saturday 4th June, 13:00 | free
Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

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What is more of a celebration of Britishness than an afternoon spent watching the cricket?

Well that's exactly what you can do if you come down to the park on Saturday 4th June. Hathern 2nd will be playing Cropston 3rd starting at 1pm.

To help raise funds for the cricket club, they will be running some side stalls.

The bar will also be open all afternoon as well as the craft trail taking place in the marquee.



AFTERNOON TEA

Saturday 4th June, 12:00 - 17:00 | price menu available
The Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

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Hathern WI are back with their ever-popular afternoon tea.

A proper tea is available, with sandwiches and cakes, teas and coffees. What better way to spend the afternoon while Hathern Old Cricket Club entertain you with a home game?

You can also stop here as a pit-stop on your journey round our Craft Trail.



CRAFT TRAIL

Saturday 4th June, 12:00 - 17:00 | free entry
Various Venues around Hathern

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In recent years the Craft Markets in Big Week, and indeed in other venues through the year, have grown so popular, we couldn't fit all the stalls into one marquee. Instead, we've created a craft trail.

Start by wandering down to the park and browse amongst the local stallholders as they show you their

wares. Pick up a bargain or two from the vintage stalls and maybe a gift from the craft stalls. We also have local produce for sale.

From here, grab a location map and visit our other stalls around the village.



PROMS IN THE PARK

Saturday 4th June, 19:00 | free
Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

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Join Hathern Band with special guests the Loughborough Theatre Choir as they present Proms In The Park.

To celebrate the Jubilee, the night will be packed full of music to the theme of 'Best of British over the last 70 years'.

With everything covered from James Bond to The Beatles and British musicals classic British TV themes, plus a live 'Last

Night of the Proms' finale featuring: Jerusalem, Land of Hope And Glory and the National Anthem.

Bring your picnics, chairs & flags (a limited number of flags will be supplied) and we'll provide the bar, teas & coffees.



CELEBRATION SERVICE

Sunday 5th June, 10:30 | free
St Peter & St Paul Church, Church Street

As part of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee Weekend, Hathern Church will be holding an all-age family service on Sunday 5th June at 10:30am and this will celebrate the Jubilee and will include prayers for the Queen and the National Anthem.

Everyone will be most welcome.

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JUBILEE PICNIC IN THE PARK

Sunday 5th June, 12:00 - 16:00 | free
Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

To mark the end of Big Week we'll be joining in with the official celebrations to mark Queen Elizabeth II's Jubilee.

Bring your picnic with you to our 'street party' on the park. You can expect fun and games and entertainment. The bar will be open and we'll be announcing the winners of the Best Decorated House and The Great Hathern Bake-Off

competitions.

Also visiting us will be Hathern's vintage car parade - make a date in your diary now!

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BEST DECORATED HOUSE COMPETITION

JUDGED ON SUNDAY 5TH JUNE

3 ENTRY CATEGORIES

Most Original Idea | Best Red, White & Blue | Best Depiction of The Queen

FULL ENTRY DETAILS CAN BE FOUND AT
www.hathernonline.co.uk/house

CELEBRATING THE JUBILEE IN HATHERN

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HATHERN OPEN GARDENS

SATURDAY 25TH
& SUNDAY 26TH

JUNE 2022